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It is generally believed that there is no further danger of the disease spreading. There are now 11 cases isolated at Pelican Island, the quarantine station.

There has been but 1 death—that of a man who contracted the disease at Halifax and introduced it here. He died about four weeks ago.

There is no danger at present that the disease will become epidemic.

Respectfully,

S. A. MACALLISTER,
United States Consul.

Hon. ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE.

BRITISH GUIANA.

Yellow fever at Paramaribo and Cayenne.

DEMARARA, BRITISH GUIANA, *March 29, 1902.*

SIR: I have to state for the further information of the Department, concerning yellow fever at Paramaribo and Cayenne as per my cables of January 16 and March 27, that at Paramaribo, up to March 1, there were 31 cases and 21 deaths from the disease. There were no new cases between March 1 and the morning of March 24 when clean bills of health were issued.

On the afternoon of the same date the physician in charge of the hospital was taken ill with the fever.

The acting United States consular agent at Paramaribo, who is the British consul there, advised this office on the 27th that the British vice-consul at Cayenne had reported 34 cases and 23 deaths in that colony, viz, 32 cases and 21 deaths in the Maroni district at St. Laurent, 1 case and 1 death at Mana, and 1 case and 1 death at the port of Cayenne. Quarantine regulations exist at this port against shipping from both Paramaribo and Cayenne.

Respectfully,

GEO. H. MOULTON,
United States Consul.

Hon. ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE.

CANADA.

Smallpox in New Brunswick and Quebec.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE,
Washington, D. C., April 14, 1902.

SIR: I have the honor to inclose for the information of the U. S. Marine-Hospital Service, copy of a dispatch from the commercial agent at Rimouski in regard to the prevalence of smallpox in New Brunswick and the Province and city of Quebec.

Respectfully,

DAVID J. HILL,
Acting Secretary of State.

Hon. SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY.

[Inclosure.]

RIMOUSKI, QUEBEC, *April 7, 1902.*

SIR: Dr. J. A. Pineault, deputy health inspector for the counties of Gaspé and Bonaventure, informed me he had just been on an inspection through those 2 counties and found the smallpox well scattered through the small towns, especially along the shores of Baie des Chaleurs. In one small place in Gaspé County he found 61 cases, and in one place in Bonaventure County with over 100 cases.

I inclose a clipping from the Montreal Star in regard to smallpox in the city of Quebec. As this city is visited by a very large number of Americans in the summer,